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MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF, )  
AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE )

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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed July 8, 2008, please amend the above-captioned application, as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.